

## **CLEBURNE COUNTY**

### **AGRICULTURE**

Livestock regulated--1898, 303, 1257; 1900, 2649  
Stock laws election--1894, 974

### **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Domestic wines regulated--1900, 2026  
Drunkenness, fine--1888, 92  
Licenses--1880, 33; 1898, 857  
Prohibition, election--1874, 276; 1886, 1024  
Prohibition, enacted--1882, 614; 1890, 85, 555

### **AMBULANCE SERVICE**

County or municipalities to establish--(GBLA) 1975, 1641

### **BAILIFFS**

Compensation--(GBLA) 1971, 3325

### **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

Compensation--1947, 313; (GBLA) 1977, 748  
Election, qualifications, and compensation--1967, 571  
Meeting days, compensation--1967, 1522

### **BOARD OF EQUALIZATION**

Compensation--(GBLA) 1969, 1365; (GBLA) 1971, 3357; (GBLA) 1977, 1271

### **BOARD OF HEALTH**

Fees for certain services--88-430, 631

### **BOARD OF REGISTRARS**

Compensation--(GBLA) 1969, 1365; (GBLA) 1971, 3357  
Election officers, compensation--80-666, 1342  
Reidentification of voters--1973, 1060  
Vote recount--(GBLA) 1963, 876; (GBLA) 1971, 3358

### **BOATS**

Boat license renewal by mail, fees--91-311, 571

### **BOUNDARIES**

Altered--1866, 432, 496; 1882, 347; 1886, 757; 1903, 462; 1907, 519, 553

### **CHULAFINNEE--See INDEX OF MUNICIPAL LAWS**

### **CLERK, CIRCUIT COURT**

Compensation--(GBLA) 1963, 889; amended--(GBLA) 1971, 2882  
Employees compensation--(GBLA) 1973, 1064

### **CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS**

Attached to 4th district--1890, 627

**CONSTABLES**

Fees established--1890, 67; 1892, 458; 1898, 985

**CORONER**

Compensation--84-448, 1057; 99-564, 1216; repealed and replaced--2007-243, 328

Expense allowance and deputy--(GBLA) 1977, 136

Operational expenses, funds provided, retroactive effect--2016-204, 2016-236

**CORPORATIONS**

Cleburne Institute, incorporated--1890, 1182

Ross Institute, incorporated--1894, 231

**COUNTY COMMISSION--See also COURT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

Compensation--(GBLA) 1956, 101; (GBLA) 1963, 531; repealed--(GBLA) 1969, 649; 1977, 711

Districts, referendum--84-737, 77

Driveway pipe sale--96-733, 1226

Election and districts--1900-01, 2241; amended--2003-326, 804

Little League Baseball, funding--(GBLA) 1977, 112

Private roads, authorized to maintain--(GBLA) 1975, 2648; repealed--93-492, 788

Tobacco tax for economic development--2003-323, 786

Unit road system, duties--98-75, 90; amended--2009-608, 1772

**COUNTY EMPLOYEES**

State employees retirement system reopened--79-655, 1134

**COUNTY OFFICERS**

Constitutional Amendment 331 (ratified 1973)--Legislature authorized to regulate compensation of certain county officials. Amended by Amendment 347 (ratified 1976).

Constitutional Amendment 632--98-402 (ratified 1998)--Supernumerary offices abolished, participation in employees' retirement system.

Constitutional Amendment 776, Amendment to Amendment 632--2006-304 (ratified 2006)--Supernumerary offices, including sheriff, abolished, participation in employees' retirement system.

**COURT COSTS**

Increased for general fund--90-642, 1197; 98-241, 393; 2011-609, 1352

Increased for jail--81-205, 246

Increased for judicial center, referendum--2005-132, 223

Increased for law library and sheriff--79-654, 1133

Increased for sheriff--81-203, 244; 81-204, 245; 81-206, 247

Increased for violent crimes task force--2012-548, 1619

Increased on domestic relations cases--2012-321, 750

Solicitor's fee (7th Jud. Cir.)--2009-493, 912

Constitutional Amendment 331 (ratified 1973)--Legislature authorized to regulate court costs. Amended by Amendment 347 (ratified 1976).

**COURT OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS--See also COUNTY COMMISSION**

Compensation--1886, 635; 1947, 80; 1953, 322; 1967, 452; 1973, 1016

Contingent fund authorized--1945, 3; 1969, 732

Districts altered--1900, 2241; 1939, 340

Election--1939, 339; staggered terms--1967, 571  
Printing, control--1869, 337; 1888, 332  
Road supervisor, compensation--1936, 64  
Statement, semiannual required--1900, 1464  
Term of office--1888, 268

#### **COURT, CHANCERY**

Northern chancery division, 11th district created--1873, 76  
Place of--1888, 657  
Register, employees compensation--1973, 1064  
Terms of--1869, 72, 404; 1870, 31; 1896, 146  
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#### **COURT, CIRCUIT**

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Court costs increased for judicial center, referendum--2005-132, 223  
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Judgeship created (7th Jud. Cir)--95-776, 1848  
Judgeship, additional created (7th Jud. Cir.)--1964, 298  
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Register, compensation--(GBLA) 1973, 1064  
Reporter, compensation (7th Jud. Cir.)--1965, 467  
Terms of--1869, 101; 1870, 23; 1894, 626  
Time of (7th Jud. Cir.)--1878, 87, 89, 217; 1880, 59; 1888, 117; 1903, 539  
Witnesses, relief of--1890, 1270

#### **COURT, COUNTY**

Abolished--1907, 120  
Established--1896, 802; 1898, 93; 1900, 507; repealed--1903, 146  
Jurisdiction extended--1892, 1194  
Witnesses, relief of--1890, 1270

#### **COURT, DISTRICT**

Court costs increased for county general fund--98-241, 393  
Court costs increased for jail--99-536, 1170  
Court costs increased for judicial center, referendum--2005-132, 223  
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#### **COURT, INTERMEDIATE**

Established--(GBLA) 1971, 3369

#### **COURT, PROBATE**

Aerial photos-maps of water and soil conservation districts--(GBLA) 1966, 563  
Clerk, compensation--(GBLA) 1971, 4413; (GBLA) 1976, 1029; (GBLA) 1977, 135  
Grantee address required on real estate conveyances--89-756, 1533  
Judge, compensation--1977, 260

Judge, one general index book--88-403, 599  
Licensing division established, renewal by mail--84-645, 1297  
Marriage license fee--2012-546, 1615  
Matrimony fees, increase--2002-330, 900  
Petition for adoption, fee--2012-546, 1615  
Recording fees--90-643, 1198; amended--95-779, 1854  
Redemption of land, duties transferred to revenue commissioner--85-472, 466

Constitutional Amendment 331 (ratified 1973)--Legislature authorized to regulate compensation of probate judge. Amended by Amendment 347 (ratified 1976).

## **COURTHOUSE**

Closing--(GBLA) 1965, 48; (GBLA) 1971, 3358

## **DISTRICT ATTORNEY**--See also SOLICITOR, COUNTY

Chief clerk, travel allowance--(GBLA) 1951, 898; (GBLA) 1971, 1269  
Clerical assistance--1951, 898; (7th Jud. Cir.)--1975, 1635  
Compensation--1978, 1158  
Deputy, appointment and compensation (7th Jud. Cir.)--1967, 322; 1975, 1635  
Investigator, appointment (7th Jud. Cir.)--1975, 1635  
Pretrial diversion program (7th Jud. Cir.)--93-539, 886  
Solicitor's fee (7th Jud. Cir.)--2009-493, 912  
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## **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Emerald Triangle Commission assets provided for--2009-388, 712  
Emerald Triangle Commission created with Clay and Randolph Counties to promote economic development and public safety--93-365, 608; repealed--2009-388, 712  
Tobacco tax--2003-323, 786

## **EDWARDSVILLE**--See INDEX OF MUNICIPAL LAWS

## **ELECTIONS**

Election officers, compensation--80-666, 1342  
Reidentification of voters--1973, 1060  
Vote recount--(GBLA) 1963, 876; (GBLA) 1971, 3358

## **ENGINEER, COUNTY**

Land surveyor, qualifications--1975, 2648  
Office established--98-75, 90; amended--2009-608, 1772  
Residence requirement repealed--2009-608, 1772

## **ESTABLISHMENT OF COUNTY**

Cleburne County established--1866, 71

## **FINE AND FORFEITURE FUND**

Regulated--1886, 859

## **FIRE PROTECTION**

Assessment--81-139, 163; amended--81-254, 337; repealed--91-293, 547  
Service fee; exemptions, distribution; referendum--2015-333

Constitutional Amendment 586--96-205 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

## **FIREWORKS**

Fireworks sales and use--90-429, 592

## **FRUITBURST**--See INDEX OF MUNICIPAL LAWS

## **GAME AND FISH**

Aerial photos-maps of water and soil conservation districts--(GBLA) 1966, 563

Fishing regulated--1957, 84; repealed--1967, 814

Hunting, use of artificial light prohibited--86-397, 583

Pheasant and grouse hunting regulated--1951, 906

## **GARBAGE**

Committee established to monitor waste--81-1036, 236

Low-income households, county commission may exempt from solid waste collection fees--2000-422, 781

## **HEALTH**

Board of health, fees for certain services--88-430, 631

Death certificates issuance--84-502, 1120

Doctor, inducement to locate in area--80-260, 336

Massage parlors regulated--1975, 1490

Soil percolation tests--88-405, 601

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## **HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES**

Driveway pipe sale--96-733, 1226

Engineer, office established--98-75, 90; amended--2009-608, 1772

Land surveyor, qualifications--1975, 2648

Litter prohibited--87-533, 812

Maintenance and construction--1903, 394; 1927, 238; repealed 1947, 77

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Private roads, county commission to maintain--(GBLA) 1975, 2648; repealed--93-492, 788

Road supervisor, election, duties--1886, 969; 1927, 238; 1936, 64; 1947, 77

Road supervisors, justices of peace appointed--1871, 352; repealed--1872, 142

Road tax--1888, 472

Road work regulated--1898, 1026; 1915, 141; 1935, 214

Sand, clay, and gravel, severance tax, distribution--98-242, 393

Unit road system--98-75, 90; amended--2009-608, 1772

## **HOSPITALS**

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## **INDUSTRIAL WASTE DUMPING**

Committee established to monitor--81-1036, 236

## **JAILS**

Funding from court costs--81-205, 246; 99-536, 1170

Store, operation--2003-161, 467

## **JURIES**

Commission, appointed--1898, 812  
Commission, compensation--(GBLA) 1969, 1365; (GBLA) 1971, 3357  
Compensation--1971, 3324  
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Prohibition, grand jury duties--1890, 88

## **JUSTICES OF PEACE**

Drunkenness, fine imposed--1888, 92  
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Judgments, registration--1898, 1809  
Road supervisors, appointed--1871, 352; repealed--1872, 142

## **JUVENILES**

Regional detention home for minors confined on order of court--(GBLA) 1970, 2665

## **LAW LIBRARY**

Established--79-654, 1133

## **LICENSE INSPECTOR**

Office abolished, powers vested in sheriff--79-482, 890; office reestablished, repealed--87-480, 731

## **LICENSES**

Boat license renewal by mail, fees--91-311, 571  
Business license renewal by mail--88-404, 600  
Liquor--1880, 33; 1898, 857  
Marriage license fee--2012-546, 1615

## **LITTER**

Prohibited--87-533, 812

## **MASSAGE PARLORS**

Regulated--1975, 1490

## **MINES AND MINING**

Sand, clay, and gravel, severance tax--98-242, 393

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License duties transferred to license inspector--79-482, 890; repealed--87-480, 731  
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## **MUNICIPALITIES**

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## **MUSCADINE**--See INDEX OF MUNICIPAL LAWS

## **PHYSICIANS**

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Grantee address required on real estate conveyances--89-756, 1533  
Recording fees--90-643, 1198; amended--95-779, 1854  
Redemption of land, duties--85-472, 466  
Soil percolation tests--88-405, 601

**RECORDS**

Aerial photos-maps of water and soil conservation districts--(GBLA) 1966, 563  
General index book--88-403, 599  
Grantee address required on real estate conveyances--89-756, 1533  
Recording fees--90-643, 1198; amended--95-799, 1854

**RESCUE SQUADS**

County or municipalities to establish ambulance service--(GBLA) 1975, 1641

**RETIREMENT**

State employees retirement system reopened--79-655, 1134

**REVENUE COMMISSIONER**

Budgetary operations merged--90-623, 1138  
Office established, referendum--84-52, 71  
Redemption of land, duties--85-472, 466

**SCHOOLS**

Bucham school district created--1900, 2030  
Friendship school district created--1900, 2638  
Fruithurst school district created--1898, 1651; 1900, 1938  
Funds, apportionment--1894, 551  
Oak Level school district created--1896, 1396  
Teachers, prohibition of certain payroll deductions--(GBLA) 1963, 888; (GBLA) 1971, 3360  
Textbook board established--1898, 1509  
Trustees, appointment--1884, 733

Constitutional Amendment 123 (ratified 1957)--Property tax levied for school purposes.

**SHERIFF**

Compensation--1977, 711  
Confiscated property, sale--87-534, 813  
Deputy, additional--(GBLA) 1975, 1640  
Deputy, compensation--1939, 251; repealed--1945, 66; 1947, 21; 1969, 733  
Execution of process--1872, 207  
Fund from court costs--79-654, 1133; 81-203, 244; 81-204, 245; 81-206, 247  
Jail store operation--2003-161, 467  
License inspector, duties--79-482, 890; repealed--87-480, 731  
Pistol permit fees--(GBLA) 1971, 4608; 89-849, 1698

**SOLICITOR, COUNTY**--See also DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Deputy, compensation--1927, 105

**SOLID WASTE**

Committee established to monitor waste--81-1036, 236

Low-income households, county commission may exempt from solid waste collection fees--2000-422, 781

**SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION**

Apportionment of funds--1894, 551

Compensation--1947, 314; 1955, 440; (GBLA) 1961, 265; repealed and superseded--(GBLA) 1965 Sp. Sess., 181; repealed--(GBLA) 1969, 353; amended--(GBLA) 1969, 897; (GBLA) 1971, 3357, 3359; (GBLA) 1973, 251

Duties, additional--1947, 314

Election--1890, 548; 1927, 373

Expense allowance--(GBLA) 1961, 385

**TAX ASSESSOR**

Administrative assistant, compensation--1973, 1064

Expense allowance--81-363, 532

Office abolished, referendum--84-52, 71

Relieved of certain duties--1931, 85

**TAX COLLECTOR**

Administrative assistant, compensation--1973, 1063

Compensation--1977, 260

Office abolished, referendum--84-52, 71

**TAXATION**

Clay, sand, and gravel severance permit fees and bonding--94-478, 795

Fireworks, sales and use tax--90-429, 592

Lodging tax--2001-387, 494

Occupation license renewal by mail--88-404, 600

Road tax--1888, 472

Sales and use tax, additional--2001-554, 1119

Sand, clay, and gravel, severance tax--98-242, 393

Special property tax--1868, 479; 1957, 713

Tobacco tax--90-450, 636; repealed and replaced--2003-323, 786

Constitutional Amendment 123 (ratified 1957)--Property tax levied for school purposes.

Constitutional Amendment 586--96-205 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

**TREASURER, COUNTY**

Office abolished--1915, 400

**UTILITIES**

Emergency 911 telephone service charges, referendum--92-464, 931

**VETERANS**

Relief of Confederate--1894, 148

**VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS**

Constitutional Amendment 586--96-205 (ratified 1996)--Ad valorem tax levied for fire protection.

**VOTERS**

Election officers, compensation--80-666, 1342

Reidentification--1973, 1060

Vote recount--(GBLA) 1963, 876; (GBLA) 1971, 3358

**WASTE**

Committee established to monitor--81-1036, 236

**WATER AND WATERCOURSES**

Aerial photos-maps of water and soil conservation districts--(GBLA) 1966, 563

Emerald Triangle Commission created, duties, powers--93-365, 608; repealed--2009-388, 712

Soil percolation tests--88-405, 601

Wheeler's Springs, public watering place created--1903, 552

**LOCAL LAWS APPLYING TO MUNICIPALITIES OF CLEBURNE COUNTY****CHULAFINNEE****INCORPORATION**

Chulafinnee incorporated--1880, 467; 1880, 467; 1896, 1076

**EDWARDSVILLE****COURTHOUSE**

Donated to Edwardsville--1915, 413

**GOVERNING BODY**

Bonds, issuance authorized--1898, 505

Bonds, school funds, issuance--1896, 664

**INCORPORATION**

Edwardsville incorporated--1890, 443; 1896, 205, 1257; 1919, 75

**SCHOOLS**

Separate district created--1896, 378; 1900, 520

**FRUITHURST****ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Prohibition, repealed--1896, 5

**INCORPORATION**

Fruithurst incorporated--1896, 223

**SCHOOLS**

Separate district created--1898, 629

**HEFLIN**

**BOUNDARIES**

Corporate limits altered--1965 Sp. Sess., 182; 87-278, 387;  
2000-474, 904

**GOVERNING BODY**

Property, authorized to exchange--1953, 326

**INCORPORATION**

Heflin incorporated--1886, 254; 1892, 53; 1894, 68; 1898, 605; 1903, 179

**RECORDER**

Election--1927, 230

**SCHOOLS**

Liquor license, distribution--1898, 1796  
Separate district created--1898, 1320

**TAXATION**

Licenses, liquor--1898, 1796  
Sales and use tax, collection--1965 Sp. Sess., 179

Constitutional Amendment 8 (ratified 1920)--Property tax levied.

**MUSCADINE****ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

Prohibition, repealed--1890, 555

**OXFORD****CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM**

Board, compensation--1975, 1996; 1985, 221; 1993, 849; amended--2010-574, 1157; 2015-336  
Established--1975, 1996; amended--97-563, 997; 2015-336

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS****COUNTY OFFICERS**

Constitutional Amendment 331 (ratified 1973)--Legislature authorized to regulate court costs and compensation of certain county officials. Amended by Amendment 347 (ratified 1976).  
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Constitutional Amendment 347 (ratified 1976)--Amends Amendment 331 (ratified 1973).

**COURT, PROBATE**

Constitutional Amendment 331 (ratified 1973)--Legislature authorized to regulate compensation of probate judge. Amended by Amendment 347 (ratified 1976).  
Constitutional Amendment 347 (ratified 1976)--Amends Amendment 331 (ratified 1973).

**FIRE PROTECTION**

Constitutional Amendment 586--96-205 (ratified 1996)--Property tax levied for fire protection.

**TAXATION**

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